

consumers regarding the risks that the use of such devices pose for the development of irreversible damage to the skin, including skin cancer, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

By Mr. SMITH (for himself, Mr. BINGAMAN, and Ms. MURKOWSKI):

S. 3813. A bill to permit individuals who are employees of a grantee that is receiving funds under section 330 of the Public Health Service Act to enroll in health insurance coverage provided under the Federal Employees Health Benefits Program; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

By Mr. ROBERTS (for himself, Mr. REED, Mr. VOINOVICH, Mr. DEWINE, and Ms. MIKULSKI):

S. 3814. A bill to amend part B of title XVIII of the Social Security Act to restore the Medicare treatment of ownership of oxygen equipment to that in effect before enactment of the Deficit Reduction Act of 2005; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. SMITH (for himself and Mrs. LINCOLN):

S. 3815. A bill to improve the quality of, and access to, long-term care; to the Committee on Finance.

By Ms. COLLINS:

S. 3816. A bill to prohibit the shipment of tobacco products in the mail, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

By Mr. TALENT:

S. 3817. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide a tax credit for certain entities making matching contributions to retirement plans; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. HATCH (for himself and Mr. LEAHY):

S. 3818. A bill to amend title 35, United States Code, to provide for patent reform; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. BINGAMAN (for himself, Mr. SMITH, Mrs. LINCOLN, Mr. PRYOR, and Mr. AKAKA):

S. 3819. A bill to amend title XIX of the Social Security Act to provide for redistribution and extended availability of unexpended medicaid DSH allotments, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. DURBIN:

S. 3820. A bill to expand broadband access for rural Americans; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

By Ms. COLLINS (for herself, Mrs. FEINSTEIN, Mr. CORNYN, Ms. MIKULSKI, Mr. LEAHY, and Mr. LIEBERMAN):

S. 3821. A bill to authorize certain athletes to be admitted temporarily into the United States to compete or perform in an athletic league, competition, or performance; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. OBAMA:

S. 3822. A bill to improve access to and appropriate utilization of valid, reliable and accurate molecular genetic tests by all populations thus helping to secure the promise of personalized medicine for all Americans; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. DEWINE:

S. 3823. A bill to amend the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 and the Age Discrimination in Employment Act of 1967 to provide a means to combat discrimination on the basis of age or disability, by conditioning a State's receipt or use of Federal financial assistance on the State's waiver of immunity from suit for violations under such Acts; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

By Mr. TALENT:

S. 3824. A bill to provide for uniform penalties for violating regulations within the National Park System, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

By Mr. BURNS (for himself, Mr. FRIST, Mr. DEWINE, Mr. ALLARD, Mr. COLEMAN, Mr. SMITH, and Mr. ALLEN):

S. 3825. A bill to end the flow of methamphetamine and precursor chemicals coming across the border of the United States; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. MENENDEZ:

S. 3826. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to exclude from gross income military pay received by a member of a reserve component of the Armed Forces of the United States who is called to active duty; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mrs. LINCOLN (for herself, Ms. SNOWE, Mr. SCHUMER, Mr. ROCKEFELLER, Ms. LANDRIEU, Mrs. CLINTON, and Mr. VITTER):

S. 3827. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to extend and expand the benefits for businesses operating in empowerment zones, enterprise communities, or renewal communities, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. INHOFE:

S. 3828. A bill to amend title 4, United States Code, to declare English as the official language of the Government of the United States, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

By Ms. STABENOW (for herself, Mr. MENENDEZ, Mr. KERRY, Mrs. CLINTON, Mr. OBAMA, Mr. LEAHY, Mr. JOHNSON, Mr. LIEBERMAN, Mr. DURBIN, Mr. BIDEN, Mr. DAYTON, Mrs. FEINSTEIN, and Mr. LEVIN):

S. 3829. A bill to extend and expand certain tax relief provisions and to increase the Federal minimum wage, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Finance.

By Ms. STABENOW (for herself and Mr. LEVIN):

S. 3830. A bill to prevent unfair practices and ensure an open market in the automobile industry, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. GRAHAM:

S. 3831. A bill to reduce temporarily the duty on benzoyl chloride; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. DOMENICI (for himself and Mr. BINGAMAN):

S. 3832. A bill to direct the Secretary of the Interior to establish criteria to transfer title to reclamation facilities, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

By Mr. KERRY:

S. 3833. A bill to authorize support for the Armed Forces Support Foundation in assisting members of the National Guard and Reserve and former members of the Armed Forces in securing employment in the private sector, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Armed Services.

By Mr. SESSIONS (for himself and Mrs. FEINSTEIN):

S. 3834. A bill to amend the Controlled Substances Act to address online pharmacies; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. CORNYN (for himself, Mr. CHAMBLISS, Mr. ALLEN, Mr. KYL, Mr. SESSIONS, Mr. GRAHAM, Mr. INHOFE, and Mr. SANTORUM):

S. 3835. A bill to provide adequate penalties for crimes committed against United States judges and Federal law enforcement officers, to provide appropriate security for judges and law enforcement officers, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. MARTINEZ (for himself and Mr. SCHUMER):

S. 3836. A bill to reauthorize the United States Advisory Commission on Public Diplomacy; considered and passed.

By Mr. AKAKA (for himself, Mr. INOUE, Mr. BYRD, Mr. STEVENS, Mr.

JEFFORDS, Ms. MURKOWSKI, Mr. KERRY, Mr. COCHRAN, Mr. LIEBERMAN, Mr. DODD, Mr. ROCKEFELLER, Mr. KENNEDY, Mr. LOTT, Mr. BIDEN, Mrs. CLINTON, Mr. REID, Mr. DORGAN, Mr. REED, Mrs. FEINSTEIN, Mr. CONRAD, Mrs. DOLE, Mr. DOMENICI, and Mr. ROBERTS):

S. 3837. A bill to authorize the establishment of the Henry Kuualoha Giugni Kupuna Memorial Archives at the University of Hawaii; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

By Mr. HATCH (for himself and Mrs. LINCOLN):

S. 3838. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide for S corporation reform, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. DODD:

S. 3839. A bill to amend title II of the Social Security Act to provide that the eligibility requirement for disability insurance benefits under which an individual must have 20 quarters of Social Security coverage in the 40 quarters preceding a disability shall not be applicable in the case of a disabled individual suffering from a covered terminal disease; to the Committee on Finance.

SUBMISSION OF CONCURRENT AND SENATE RESOLUTIONS

The following concurrent resolutions and Senate resolutions were read, and referred (or acted upon), as indicated:

By Mr. DODD (for himself, Mr. LEVIN, Mr. SUNUNU, Ms. STABENOW, Mr. CHAFEE, Mr. KENNEDY, Mr. FEINGOLD, and Mrs. FEINSTEIN):

S. Res. 548. A resolution expressing the sense of the Senate regarding the need for the United States and the international community to take certain actions with respect to the hostilities between Hezbollah and Israel; considered and agreed to.

By Mr. SANTORUM (for himself, Mr. PRYOR, and Mrs. DOLE):

S. Res. 549. A resolution expressing the sense of the Senate regarding modern-day slavery; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

By Mr. SMITH (for himself and Mr. CONRAD):

S. Res. 550. A resolution designating October 22 through October 28, 2006, as "National Save for Retirement Week"; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. REID (for himself, Mr. BAUCUS, Ms. STABENOW, Mr. PRYOR, Mrs. CLINTON, Mr. LIEBERMAN, Mr. BINGAMAN, Ms. LANDRIEU, Mrs. LINCOLN, Mr. WYDEN, and Mr. JOHNSON):

S. Res. 551. A resolution expressing the sense of the Senate that illegal immigrants should not receive Social Security benefits and that this prohibition should be strictly enforced; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. SESSIONS (for himself, Mr. BROWNBACK, Mr. CHAMBLISS, Mr. CRAPO, Mr. GRASSLEY, Mr. INHOFE, Ms. LANDRIEU, Mr. MENENDEZ, Mr. SCHUMER, Mr. SHELBY, and Mr. SPECTER):

S. Res. 552. A resolution designating September 2006 as "National Prostate Cancer Awareness Month"; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. MENENDEZ:

S. Res. 553. A resolution expressing the sense of the Senate that the Citizens' Stamp Advisory Committee should recommend to the Postmaster General that a commemorative postage stamp be issued in honor of

Varian Fry; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

By Mr. GREGG (for himself and Mr. CONRAD):

S. Res. 554. A resolution authorizing the printing with illustrations of a document entitled "Committee on the Budget, United States Senate, 32nd Anniversary, 1974-2006"; considered and agreed to.

By Mr. FRIST (for himself and Mr. REID):

S. Res. 555. A resolution to authorize the production of records by the Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations of the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs; considered and agreed to.

By Mr. CRAPO (for himself and Mr. DORGAN):

S. Res. 556. A resolution supporting National Peripheral Arterial Disease Awareness Week and efforts to educate people about peripheral arterial disease; considered and agreed to.

ADDITIONAL COSPONSORS

S. 211

At the request of Mrs. CLINTON, the name of the Senator from Arkansas (Mrs. LINCOLN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 211, a bill to facilitate nationwide availability of 2-1-1 telephone service for information and referral on human services, volunteer services, and for other purposes.

S. 241

At the request of Ms. SNOWE, the name of the Senator from Massachusetts (Mr. KENNEDY) was added as a cosponsor of S. 241, a bill to amend section 254 of the Communications Act of 1934 to provide that funds received as universal service contributions and the universal service support programs established pursuant to that section are not subject to certain provisions of title 31, United States Code, commonly known as the Antideficiency Act.

S. 513

At the request of Mr. MENENDEZ, his name was added as a cosponsor of S. 513, a bill to provide collective bargaining rights for public safety officers employed by States or their political subdivisions.

S. 528

At the request of Mr. HARKIN, the name of the Senator from California (Mrs. BOXER) was added as a cosponsor of S. 528, a bill to authorize the Secretary of Health and Human Services to provide grants to States to conduct demonstration projects that are designed to enable medicaid-eligible individuals to receive support for appropriate and necessary long-term services in the settings of their choice.

S. 843

At the request of Mr. SANTORUM, the names of the Senator from Wyoming (Mr. ENZI), the Senator from North Carolina (Mr. BURR), the Senator from Georgia (Mr. CHAMBLISS) and the Senator from South Dakota (Mr. THUNE) were added as cosponsors of S. 843, a bill to amend the Public Health Service Act to combat autism through research, screening, intervention and education.

At the request of Mr. FRIST, his name was added as a cosponsor of S. 843, supra.

At the request of Mr. DURBIN, his name was added as a cosponsor of S. 843, supra.

S. 859

At the request of Mr. MENENDEZ, his name was added as a cosponsor of S. 859, a bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to allow an income tax credit for the provision of homeownership and community development, and for other purposes.

S. 912

At the request of Mr. FEINGOLD, the name of the Senator from New York (Mrs. CLINTON) was added as a cosponsor of S. 912, a bill to amend the Federal Water Pollution Control Act to clarify the jurisdiction of the United States over waters of the United States.

S. 914

At the request of Mr. ALLARD, the names of the Senator from New Jersey (Mr. MENENDEZ) and the Senator from California (Mrs. FEINSTEIN) were added as cosponsors of S. 914, a bill to amend the Public Health Service Act to establish a competitive grant program to build capacity in veterinary medical education and expand the workforce of veterinarians engaged in public health practice and biomedical research.

S. 1023

At the request of Mr. DODD, the name of the Senator from Vermont (Mr. JEFFORDS) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1023, a bill to provide for the establishment of a Digital Opportunity Investment Trust.

S. 1035

At the request of Mr. INHOFE, the names of the Senator from Wisconsin (Mr. KOHL), the Senator from Rhode Island (Mr. REED), the Senator from Wyoming (Mr. THOMAS), the Senator from Missouri (Mr. TALENT) and the Senator from Nebraska (Mr. HAGEL) were added as cosponsors of S. 1035, a bill to authorize the presentation of commemorative medals on behalf of Congress to Native Americans who served as Code Talkers during foreign conflicts in which the United States was involved during the 20th century in recognition of the service of those Native Americans to the United States.

S. 1057

At the request of Ms. MURKOWSKI, her name was added as a cosponsor of S. 1057, a bill to amend the Indian Health Care Improvement Act to revise and extend that Act.

S. 1145

At the request of Mr. MENENDEZ, his name was added as a cosponsor of S. 1145, a bill to provide Federal assistance to States and local jurisdictions to prosecute hate crimes.

S. 1221

At the request of Mr. MENENDEZ, his name was added as a cosponsor of S. 1221, a bill to amend chapter 81 of title 5, United States Code, to create a presumption that a disability or death of a Federal employee in fire protection activities caused by any of certain diseases is the result of the performance of such employee's duty.

S. 1522

At the request of Mr. CHAMBLISS, the name of the Senator from New Hampshire (Mr. SUNUNU) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1522, a bill to recognize the heritage of hunting and provide opportunities for continued hunting on Federal public land.

S. 1620

At the request of Mr. MENENDEZ, his name was added as a cosponsor of S. 1620, a bill to provide the non-immigrant spouses and children of non-immigrant aliens who perished in the September 11, 2001, terrorist attacks an opportunity to adjust their status to that of an alien lawfully admitted for permanent residence, and for other purposes.

S. 2010

At the request of Mr. HATCH, the name of the Senator from Alaska (Ms. MURKOWSKI) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2010, a bill to amend the Social Security Act to enhance the Social Security of the Nation by ensuring adequate public-private infrastructure and to resolve to prevent, detect, treat, intervene in, and prosecute elder abuse, neglect, and exploitation, and for other purposes.

S. 2138

At the request of Mr. MENENDEZ, his name was added as a cosponsor of S. 2138, a bill to prohibit racial profiling.

S. 2284

At the request of Ms. MIKULSKI, the name of the Senator from Ohio (Mr. VOINOVICH) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2284, a bill to extend the termination date for the exemption of returning workers from the numerical limitations for temporary workers.

S. 2354

At the request of Mr. NELSON of Florida, the name of the Senator from Washington (Ms. CANTWELL) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2354, a bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to reduce the coverage gap in prescription drug coverage under part D of such title based on savings to the Medicare program resulting from the negotiation of prescription drug prices.

S. 2460

At the request of Mr. MENENDEZ, the name of the Senator from Illinois (Mr. DURBIN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2460, a bill to permit access to certain information in the Firearms Trace System database.

S. 2487

At the request of Ms. STABENOW, the name of the Senator from New Jersey (Mr. MENENDEZ) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2487, a bill to ensure an abundant and affordable supply of highly nutritious fruits, vegetables, and other specialty crops for American consumers and international markets by enhancing the competitiveness of United States-grown specialty crops.